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Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

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Preliminary Amendment

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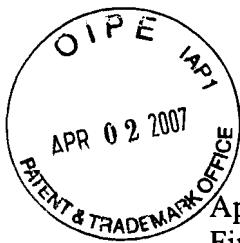
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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